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VALHALLA MOTION PICTURES,
INC.,

Opposer,

Opposition No. 91204259

v.

VALHALLA GAME STUDIOS CO.
LTD.,,

Applicant.

ANSWER TO NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

Applicant, Valhalla Game Studios Co., Ltd., in answer to the Notice of Opposition, states that he does not believe that Opposer will be damaged by the registration of the trademark subject of application serial number 77/948,333 for the mark VALHALLA GAMES STUDIOS for computer game programs; computer game software; computer software, namely, game engine software for video game development and operation; video game software, design and development of computer game software and virtual reality software, positionable toy figures, toy action figures; printed materials, namely, novels and series of fiction books and short stories featuring scenes and characters based on video games; series of computer game hint books. Applicant further answers the Notice of Opposition with respect to each numbered paragraph as follows:

1. Applicant has insufficient knowledge of the allegations in paragraph 1 of the Notice of Opposition to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of whether Opposer has been using the trademark VALHALLA MOTION PICTURES, VALHALLA ENTERTAINMENT or VALHALLA TELEVISION

continuously since 1997.

2. Applicant admits the allegation in paragraph 2 of the Notice of Opposition in that it is a Japanese corporation with its principal place of business at 1-3-2 Tsukishima Chuo-Ku, Tsukugon Building 2F, Tokyo, Japan 104-0052 and that it filed trademark application 77/984,333. However, Applicant states that the exact description of the goods and services are computer game programs; computer game software; computer software, namely, game engine software for video game development and operation; video game software, design and development of computer game software and virtual reality software, positionable toy figures, toy action figures; printed materials, namely, novels and series of fiction books and short stories featuring scenes and characters based on video games; series of computer game hint books. Applicant denies any allegation that VALHALLA GAME STUDIOS is an "Infringing Mark."

3. Applicant denies the allegations in paragraph 3 of Opposer's Notice of Opposition.

4. Applicant has insufficient knowledge of the allegations in paragraph 4 of the Notice of Opposition to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations, and therefore denies the same.

5. Applicant denies the allegations in paragraph 5 of Opposer's Notice of Opposition.

6. Applicant admits the allegations in paragraph 6 of the Notice of Opposition in that Opposer has never authorized Applicant to use the mark. Applicant denies that its mark is an infringing mark or that it needed authorization from Opposer to use the mark.

7. Applicant denies the allegations in paragraph 7 of Opposer's Notice of Opposition.

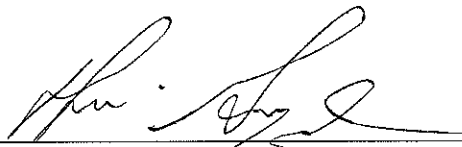
WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully requests this Honorable Board to dismiss the Opposition and to allow the application here opposed to proceed to registration.

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Respectfully submitted,

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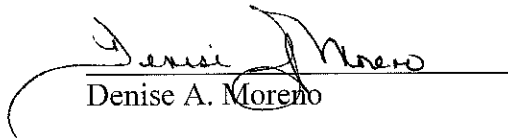
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and complete copy of the foregoing **APPLICANT'S ANSWER TO NOTICE OF OPPOSITION** has been served on the attorney for Opposer by mailing said copy on April 11, 2012, via First Class Mail, postage prepaid to::

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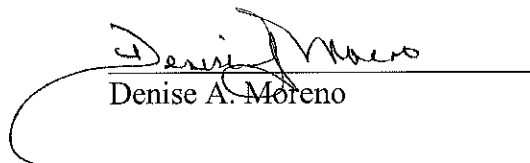
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I hereby certify that an original copy of the foregoing Answer to Notice of Opposition was transmitted online on this 11th day of April, 2012 through the ESTTA page on the website of the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board of the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

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